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## AMERICAN MACHINE GUNNERS WIPE OUT GERMAN BATTALION

**WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE-MARNE FRONT,** Aug. 6.—By the Associated Press) — American machine gunners protecting a location on the Vesle, west of Fismes, wiped out an entire battalion of German infantrymen and machine gunners today. The Germans, at the time were getting into position to attack a group of American bridge builders who were approaching the location.

Some bridge material already has been moved near the south bank of the Vesle and the Germans apparently discovering this fact had sent a battalion to a hill position to prevent the Americans carrying out their plan. A detachment of crack American machine gunners, however, previously had taken an elevated position commanding the location and opened fire when the Germans appeared. Observers reported that they did not see a single German get away from the leaden hail, and, according to the last accounts not even enemy stretcher bearers approached the scene. The Germans replied so feebly with their fire because of the surprise that there were no American casualties.

### Accuracy of American Fire Repels All Counter-Attacks.

**WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE-MARNE FRONT,** Aug. 6.—By the Associated Press. — With their backs to the Aisne the Germans continued preparations today for what may be either a stiff resistance to give him more time for further withdrawal or for a definite stand. Minor actions along the American portion of the front and in the adjoining French sectors marked the day.

The little force of men who were sent into Fismes still maintain their foothold altho they are not yet across the river, which flows thru the extreme north portion of the town.

Under a heavy barrage all their wounded have been taken out and during the night food was taken to them.

The Germans have been unremitting in their efforts to dislodge the Americans, hounding the town with shells and deluging it with gas.

Numerous efforts have been made to retake the position but in every instance the accuracy of the American fire, both of the supporting artillery and the small arms of the infantry within it drove back the enemy. To the east and west of Fismes the Americans have continued their reconnaissance work.

Near (town deleted) a few men have remained and another force is on the hill over the river near Fismes.

Reports received from the French sectors indicate virtually the same situation from Soissons to Rheims.

Clearer weather resulted in more aerial activity for a few hours, but the clouds reappeared and the rain again began to fall and the aircraft were forced to suspend operations. The Germans immediately seized the opportunity of the few hours of the good weather to send over planes for photographic purposes and incidentally to shoot up the allied transports. These planes in every case were quickly forced back by anti-aircraft guns.

Franco-American planes also did some observation work north of the Vesle. The engineers have mobilized equipment for their part of the advance and reports from far back of the line indicate that all elements of the allied forces will be immediately available. From the German side observers have reported wagon trains in large numbers moving over some of the roads toward the rear. This is not construed as conclusive evidence that the Germans still are in retreat. But this fact and the further fact that up to date the Germans have not used at all extensively any but their small and medium calibre guns tends to support the belief that the crown prince really intends to make the Aisne the objective of his line of retreat. The present positions of the Germans are excellent for defense however, and it is regarded as not improbable that they will dig in right there.

The few big guns which have been used by the Germans are in positions far back near Aisne. The clearing up of the big field of retreat has netted in one-half of the territory advanced over by the Americans alone fifteen train loads of ammunition and general supplies.

## STATEMENTS

Official Communications Issued By Belligerent Countries Regarding War Situation.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Aside from artillery activity east of Soissons and on the Vesle river there is nothing to report from the whole of the front," says the French official communication issued today.

The remainder of the communication follows:

"Army of the east, Aug. 5: There has been artillery activity on the Struma, Vardar and the Cerna Bend and to the north of Monastir. In Albania the enemy

"British aviators have brought down an enemy airplane and also have bombarded enemy depots in the Struma Valley."

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Germans, by a strong local attack against British positions along the Bray-Corbie road, north of the Somme succeeded in taking advanced trench lines on a small portion of the front. Local fighting continues in this area and the British have taken a few prisoners according to the war office statement tonight.

The text of the statement says: "At dawn this morning the enemy launched a strong local attack against our new positions south of Morlancourt astride the Bray-Corbie road. The assault delivered by a division from the rear, succeeded in carrying our advanced trench lines on a por-

tion of the ground captured by us on the night of July 28-29. Local fighting is still taking place in this area and a few prisoners have been taken by our troops.

"Southeast of Robecq our posts in the Picaut wood sector have been further advanced on a front of about 200 yards. A few prisoners also were captured by us in this area."

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—Wuerttemberg troops north of the Somme river have stormed British positions along the Corbie road and taken in the neighborhood of 100 prisoners says the German official communication issued today. The communication also says that reconnoitering activity in the Ancre and Avre and south of Montdidier has been very active.

The text of the communication follows:

"There has been lively reconnoitering activity especially in the Ancre and Avre sections and south of Montdidier. Early today north of the Somme, Wuerttembergers stormed the foremost English line along the Bray-Corbie road and brought back about a hundred prisoners.

"After partial thrusts without success the enemy yesterday advanced with strong forces to the attack against the Vesle section on both sides of Braine and north of Jonchery. We drove them back in a counter-thrust out of small sections of wood on the north bank of the river in which they had temporarily located themselves. Several hundred prisoners remained in our hands. The enemy's

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## SENTENCE MALVY TO FIVE YEARS BANISHMENT

### Found Guilty of Holding Communication With the Enemy

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Louis J. Malvy, former minister of the interior, was found guilty today of holding communication with the enemy and sentenced to five years' banishment. The sentence however does not carry civil degradation.

Louis J. Malvy, minister of the interior in the Vivian, Briand and Ribot cabinets, was reckoned one of the most astute political figures in France. It was in July, 1917, that his position was first assailed. At that time, M. Clemenceau, now French premier charged that Malvy was spreading defeatist propaganda among the troops and Malvy's resignation of his post as minister of the interior was announced early in August.

M. Clemenceau's charges against M. Malvy followed the arrests of Miguel Almeyrada, editor, and M. Duval, director of the newspaper Bonnet Rouge, upon the latter of whom was found a check for a large sum of money, the source of which he admitted to be a German banker named Marx of Mannheim. Almeyrada later was found dead in his cell apparently a suicide. M. Malvy was much criticised for having had confidence in such persons and for having granted passports to Duval for numerous trips to Switzerland while the Bonnet Rouge was printing articles in defense of Germany. It was estimated that Duval had brought sums aggregating 500,000 francs from Switzerland, of which 200,000 francs went to Almeyrada. Duval was recently found guilty of treason and shot.

The trial was begun before the senate on July 16, 1918. M. Malvy being called upon to answer to charges of high treason and having communicated with the enemy. A few days later the charge of high treason was withdrawn by the prosecutor who, however, maintained that Malvy was responsible for several cases of mutiny in the army and was guilty of communicating with the enemy. During the trial former premiers Vivian, Briand and Ribot testified in favor of M. Malvy, as did M. Painlevé who succeeded M. Ribot as premier on the latter's resignation which was due to the Malvy affair.

During the hiatus in the fighting on the Soissons-Rheims sector the Germans are believed to be moving their main bodies northward to the positions they have chosen for a stand and doubtless the German crown prince is endeavoring to reconstitute as well as he can, his badly shattered armies.

Many persons who found a vacant spot on the torrid sands, prepared to spend the night there, hoping for a sea breeze.

Seven Deaths in Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The second day of the worst August heat wave in Chicago's history resulted today in seven deaths and scores of prostrations. The government thermometer registered 101 degrees at 4 p. m., only one degree below yesterday's record.

On the streets the temperatures were approximately ten degrees higher.

White thousands of persons

quit work to flock to the bathing beaches, firemen were called upon to combat the fires both attributed to the heat. The tar roof of a large downtown hotel caught fire early in the evening, but the flames were extinguished without great loss. Earlier in the day a block of frame houses in an outlying section caught fire causing a loss estimated at \$50,000.

At 9 o'clock tonight the mercury stood at 92 degrees, several degrees higher than last night and the city parks were thrown open for all who desired to sleep in them.

An inkling of what the Germans have lost in men, made prisoner and guns captured by the allies has become public thru an utterance of the French premier at a session of the ministerial council at which General Foch was made a marshal of France.

"Thirty five thousand prisoners and 700 cannon have been captured," said the premier who added that Paris no longer was in danger, that Soissons and Chateau Thierry had been reconquered and that 200 villages had been delivered thru the formidable thrust of Foch's men thru the Soissons-Rheims salient.

Much interest attaches to the maneuvers of the Germans and the French and British troops with the latter of whom some Americans are believed to be brigaded in front running from Montdidier to the region around Ypres. Ultimately the operators here may have a strong bearing on those now in progress in the south and the allies keep up their successful thrusts and the Germans continue to withdraw compel a realignment of the entire battle front.

The French north of Montdidier have crossed to the west side of the Aire river between Braches and Morisel. Here a fairly deep penetration into the German line would become a direct menace to the junction point of the armies of the German crown prince and of Crown Prince Rupprecht. On both sides of Amiens, where the Germans have given ground they now are heavily shelling British positions using quantities of gas, evidently with the intention of preventing an attack in force.

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Captain Cluett, master of the schooner who landed here today with his crew said the German commander sent men aboard his craft and stripped her of everything moveable.

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McAdoo is becoming overburdened in attempting to carry his numerous jobs.

What plausible stories can German newspapers tell of that country about the Kaiser's "glorious retrograde movement in France." It will be difficult.

Huns pronounced Americans as clumsy, untrained defensive fighters. But they seem to have failed on the defensive, being better trained in aggressive ways and in advancing several miles a day.

The University of Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station in Urbana has sent out circular No. 225, giving the best methods for the selection and the storage of seed corn. The pamphlet is

abundantly illustrated and cannot fail to be of value to the farming community.

General Haig, commander of the British army on the western front declares the crisis has passed, and the turning of the tide come, that the Allies, with assistance of Americans have overcome the difference in numbers and German man-power is on the wane. We hope the general is a true prophet.

The Kaiser's "most glorious victories" on the sea seem to be composed largely of the sinking of hospital ships. The Huns are experts in demolishing hospitals, churches, Red Cross ships, and maiming babies. That will be the record they will bear for all time.

A tentative agreement where-by there will be no interruption of the oil supply from Mexico has been reached between representatives of the oil companies and the Mexican government. Immediate ratification of the agreement by the Mexican Congress is expected.

The Kaiser has lost territory that cost the lives of thousands of men and months of time. The advances of the Allies in the past few weeks has been a most effective blow at German prestige.

The Kaiser has recently boasted of twenty five years of profound peace during his reign, but he does not state that those years were spent in building up a military machine and preparation for plunging the world into the most

disastrous war of history. He may yet be forced to pay the penalty of his years of deceit and the horrors he alone is responsible for.

President Wilson is to travel the country and speak in behalf of the next Liberty loan, which calls for six billion dollars.

The people will welcome the head of the government.

The government is considering a wise plan of vocational and military training that will be of benefit to the young people of this country, physically and mentally.

Von Hindenburg, Von Ludendorff and Von Mackenbach and perhaps a few other vons have lost their reputation as leaders of the Kaiser's hordes and may soon be thrown into the discard. The superiority of the Huns has never been shown except where pitted against inferior numbers.

Under an agreement between the Government and the International Harvester Co. federal court decrees declaring the so-called harvester trust to be an unlawful combination and ordering its dissolution, are to be carried into effect at once. Perhaps "a rose by any other name," etc.

**WOMANKIND.**

Again comes official testimony to show that world-old verdict on womankind is wrong. Contrary to the opinion accepted everywhere by men and generally acquiesced in by women themselves, the women are good mechanics.

This astonishing fact is vouchsafed for by the national industrial conference board, as a result of experience with woman workers in war industries. In a report summarizing the results observed in 33 establishments employing 335,000 men and 51,000 women, it appears that the women show unexpected adaptability to machine work—operating drills and presses, assembling complicated parts, inspecting products, etc. They are said to be quicker and more dexterous than men, more teachable and more dependable.

No great mechanical originality is claimed for the women. There is no positive indication that they will measure up with men in the faculty of invention and innovation. But perhaps it is unsafe to judge them in that respect until they have had longer apprenticeship and come to feel at ease in their new environment. They may yet prove close competitors in a field that man has heretofore considered entirely his own.—Moline Dispatch.

**THOSE BIG GUNS.**

Proof that the Germans intended to remain a long time in the Soissons-Rheims sector is furnished by the finding of the victorious troops of the Allies, of one of their super-giant emplacements in the evacuated territory.

The gun itself, had gone, having been hastily removed when the retreat set in, but its huge shell and massive carriage, unhurried by the Allied shells that had exploded upon it, still remained. "It looked," said a correspondent "like a Pittsburgh steel mill."

This gun shot a 15.8 inch shell from 35 to 40 miles and was presumably smaller than the brood-diagonal monster in the Loam forests which occasionally fires upon Paris.

The military effectiveness of these weapons has not been established. When the Germans began the advance on the Marne, which ended with them so disastrously, the dispatches announced that the Huns were firing over the vast distance with naval guns. The supposed naval guns and these titanic cannon presumably were one and the same thing. They discharged a few shots and were demounted, their operators leaving behind a vast quantity of expensive machinery.

**RAN OFF OF FERRY BOAT.**

An agent of the Burroughs adding Machine company and a companion had a narrow escape at Meredosia Tuesday morning when a car they were driving ran off of the ferry boat and landed in the river. The agent who was driving the car was painfully injured but his companion escaped with a wetting. The men had driven on the ferry boat to be taken across the river when the brakes failed to work and the car ran off into the river. It landed upright and efforts were being made to get it out of the water Tuesday afternoon.

**THIS DATE IN HISTORY**

August 7, 1865—Governor Richard J. Oglesby appointed his private secretary, George H. Harlow, Esq., "Assistant Inspector General of the State of Illinois", with rank of colonel.

**RIPPLING RHYMS**

By Walt Mason

Six of Them.

"My six boys are safe in bed," cheerfully the Kaiser said. "Safe and sound they sleep and snore, while the world is splashed with gore. German angels guard their sleep, which is restful, calm and deep; smiles upon their faces burst, as they dream of wienerwurst. Some men's sons, I have been told, lie in couches wet and cold, all their clothing wet with blood, plastered o'er with muck and mud. That would be a horrid sight."

I am thankful that my six sleep in peace and comfort here, dreaming of a keg of beer.

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as they dream of wienerwurst.

Some men's sons, I have been told,

lie in couches wet and cold,

all their clothing wet with blood,

plastered o'er with muck and mud.</

## CITY AND COUNTY

ton was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

George M. Blair of Hardin avenue has returned from a business trip to Pike county.

J. H. Thompson made a trip from Decatur to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Ruble of Alexander was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Horace Simpson of Prentiss drove down to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

Harvey Cockrell made a business trip from Winchester to the city yesterday.

Harry Rice of the region of Alexander was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Gordon Jumper was down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

S. W. Henry of Woodson was locking after his interests in the city yesterday.

A. W. Jewsbury rode his Jeffrey car from the vicinity of Chapin to the city yesterday.

E. S. Sheppard, wife and daughter were city shoppers from Murrayville yesterday.

Mrs. John Sayre and son Roy arrived in the city from Lynnville yesterday.

Clarence Black helped represent New Berlin in the city yesterday.

Clarence Dalton made a business trip from Scottville to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Walbaum of Ashland was attending to summer shopping in the city yesterday.

William Steele of the southeast part of the county paid the city a visit yesterday.

Charles Dalton made a business trip from Scottville to the city yesterday.

C. T. Dawes of McCook, Nebraska, called on Jacksonville people yesterday.

J. E. Stine of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Lester Dunham, Bat E, 326 L. N. P., is enjoying a short vacation with home folks.

T. F. Shuman made a business trip from Roodhouse to the city yesterday.

O. A. Reynolds of Springfield was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

J. A. Shearman of New Orleans was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

E. L. Mason was a traveler from Springfield to the city yesterday.

Allie Burr and family are down from Chicago for a short visit with Jacksonville friends.

W. J. Dalgren of Springfield field made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Fence and Barb Wire is scarce. To be able to fence your stock—Buy Now! Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. just unloaded a big car. Better fence cannot be found.

Adams are visiting the Y. M. C. A. camp at Meyersdale.

E. S. Vise of South Jacksonville expected to move his family to Menard today where he is to enter the employ of Dr. Stubbsfield.

Misses Catherine Crotty, Louis Fitzpatrick motored to town from Lynnville in a new Dodge car yesterday.

Oscar Bridgeman and wife of Grace Chapel neighborhood were in the city yesterday accompanied by their guest, R. B. Tomlinson, wife, son and daughter of Sedalia, Mo.

M. McLaughlin of Scott county came to the city yesterday with a truck load of fine cantaloupes. He says dry weather is fast destroying the crop and a few pickings will finish it.

G. Bell is at his home in Franklin for a short furlough from his place in Camp Dix, New Jersey. He reports conditions there very satisfactory and the boys in good spirits and eager to get over there and hunt for the Kaiser.

Edward Riley, Louis Begnal, Thomas Koyne, Thomas Begnal, William George, Michael, James and Frances McGrath of Murrayville, were in the city yesterday.

J. J. Crotty and C. E. Butler and son, Jack, of Windsor, and J. W. Fitzpatrick and sons, Ed and Joseph, of Lynnville, have gone to South Dakota on a visit.

Mrs. Ed. Mallory has returned from Peoria, where she went to see her son Chester Brooks, who left for Camp Grant with the contingent from Peoria Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mallory went on the same train that the colored troops left from this city as far as San Jose. The men seemed to be happy. At each station they were cheered and sang songs.

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## ILLINOIS CENTENNIAL STATE FAIR OPENS BIG NEXT MONDAY.

The industrial week at the State Fair opens Monday, August 12th, with Children's Day. All kiddies throughout the state under fifteen years of age are invited to be the guests of the fair and will be admitted through the gates free of charge, was the statement made by B. M. Davison, the secretary this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkins of Baylis were among the city's guests yesterday.

J. D. Hembrough of Asbury was a caller on city friends yesterday.

R. Roy Miller, of Springfield, was the guest of friends in the city yesterday.

W. R. Turnbull, of Waverly, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

J. H. Thompson, of Richmond, Ind., was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Berger, of Meredosia, were visitors in the city Tuesday.

T. H. Moore, of Springfield, was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Prince Coates and family of the vicinity of Riggston were travelers by Ross's to the city yesterday.

Henry Brainer of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

John Hopper of St. Louis is in the city called by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. John Hopper.

The ladies of Grace church will hold an all day Red Cross sewing at the church today. There will be work for everybody.

Miss Marietta Jackson of the east part of the county was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Lloyd Reese of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Henry Reese of Woodson precinct was added to the list of business men in the city yesterday.

W. F. Holscher, the popular salesman in the clothing store of Theodore Tomlinson, has returned to his duties after a vacation of a few weeks enjoyed in various places.

The parents of Alva Stainforth have received news that he has arrived safely overseas. He is attached to base hospital unit No. 53.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buckthorpe and son Thomas Buckthorpe, Jr., and Mrs. A. L.

## MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monahan's Letter Published by Her Permission

Mitchell, Ind.—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was relieved of neuralgia forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers.

Before taking it, some days I suffered with neuralgia, so badly that thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely

rational, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed nineteen pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good." — Mrs. Pearl Monahan, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

FOR BABY RASH Itching, chafing, scalding, all irritation and soreness, nothing heals like

SYKES' COMFORT POWDER It's extraordinary healing and soothing power is noticeable on first application. 25¢ at the Vinol and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

## Overseas Casualties

Washington, Aug. 6.—Army and marine corps casualties in the salient now total 1,232 soldiers and 140 marines. This brought the total since the war began to 4,958, the number of all casualties since American forces first landed in France to 16,409. Three army and two marine corps lists were given out early today. A recapitulation of them shows:

ARMY CORPS MARINE  
Killed in action ..... 31  
Died of wounds ..... 6  
Wounded severely ..... 318  
Wounded, degree undetermined ..... 7  
Wounded slightly ..... 19  
Prisoners ..... 1

TOTALS ..... 388  
TODAY'S LIST contained mostly the names of wounded, whereas those of yesterday showed 459 killed in action and 80 died of wounds.

This list did not represent any one day's fighting, but probably include some of the casualties for several days.

KILLED IN ACTION.  
SERGEANT.  
Claude A. Stephenson, Anderson, Ind.

CORPORAL.  
Malcolm K. Crabtree, Toppenish, Wash.

EDWIN H. JELLY, Woodhaven, N. Y.

BILL WALTERS, Thealica, Ky.

THEODORE S. PRICE, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

PRIVATES.  
TONY ALBINO, Brooklyn, N. Y.

FRANK ALTOBBEL, Berlin, N. H.

EDWARD F. BOWMAN, Wheeling, W. Va.

STANLEY F. BRITOL, Tomasket, Wash.

FRANCIS X. CONLON, Philadelphia, Pa.

JOHN L. EASTMAN, Danville, Ill.

WILLIAM A. QUINN, Ark.

ERNEST C. HARTMANN, San Francisco.

STEPHEN J. JOHNSTON, Jr., Coopersburg, Pa., N. Y.

ALBERT S. JOHNSTON, Homer City, Pa.

MICHAEL K. KATZ, Worcester, Mass.

ROBERT KELLY, Frankland, Pa.

CHARLES L. KELLY, Delmont, Pa.

FRANK SAGER, St. Paul, Minn.

WILLIAM E. SCHAFERKE, Appleton, Wis.

DAVID K. SHEDD, Manchester, N. H.

JOHN H. TATRO, Harrisville, R. I.

JAMES W. WILLIAMS, Bangor, Me.

DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION.  
CORPORAL.

HAROLD E. SIMMONS, Worcester, Mass.

PRIVATES.

PERCY M. BROTHERS, Randolph Center, Vt.

CLAUDE COVIN, Keokuk, Ky.

WILLIS L. CHAMBERLIN, Griswoldville, Mass.

JOHN SERAPHIN, Hartford, Conn.

JAMES V. WEIR, Litchfield, Conn.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.  
CAPTAIN.

ALBERT NATHNESS, Winona, Wis.

SERGEANTS.

FRED KING, Oshkosh, Wis.

SYLVESTER KOPINSKI, South Bend, Ind.

CORPORAL.

ROBERT W. COLEFIELD, Des Moines, Iowa.

WAGONER.

WILLIAM SEEGLIETZ, 325 Wisconsin Avenue, Chicago.

PRIVATES.

JOSEPH ASIEN, No. 1821 Sheffield Avenue, Chicago.

STANLEY BUCHALSKI, Michigan City, Ind.

LEVI CARTER, Frankfort, Ind.

LLOYD F. EVANS, Marcus, Iowa.

OAKLEY C. EWART, Blocton, Iowa.

CHARLIE GUTHRIE, Webster City, Iowa.

GUNNARD LILAJUSTI, Stanton, Iowa.

BERNIE W. MOHLER, Bedford, Iowa.

JOANNE ROBBINS, Bedford, Iowa.

TONY STRIKE, 403 Ashland Avenue, Chicago.

LIEUTENANTS.

NEWTON H. BELL, Wausau, Wis.

WILLIAM H. BROWN, Lockport, N. Y.

DUDLEY W. WOODARD, New Amsterdam, Ind.

SERGEANTS.

ANDREW ANDRUSKI, Gile, Wis.

CARL E. BERGREN, 6555 Langley Avenue, Chicago.

HARRY C. BLADON, Clearfield, Iowa.

ANTON J. CIPK, Algoma, Wis.

CHARLES NANCY, Medora, Ind.

ARNOLD SODERBERG, Detroit Harbor, Wis.

SERGEANTS.

BOLESLAUS KREJCIEJKI, 3103 East 9th Street, Chicago.

ARTHUR W. MAYFIELD, Waggoner, Ill.

WAGNER.

HERBERT JACOB BROWN, III.

ORVILLE KELT, Centralia, Ill.

OSCAR P. MUELLER, Chicago.

WILLIAM SABIN, Chicago.

ARTHUR E. SELBY, Elkhorn, Ill.

ROY BURK, Dubuque, Iowa.

CLARENCE E. WEAVER, Aurora, Ill.

PRIVATES.

HERBERT JACKSON, III.

WILLIAM S. STONE, Chicago.

WILLIAM T. TASSO, East St. Louis.

WILLIAM W. WOODARD, New Amsterdam, Ind.

PRIVATES.

JOHN W. WOODARD, Waukegan, Ill.

**MRS. JOHN HOPPER PASSED AWAY TUESDAY**

**Death Due to Heart Disease Following Only Short Illness—Deceased was Wife of One of Early Mayors of Jacksonville.**

Mrs. Elizabeth Lambert Hopper died last evening at 7:45 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Minter, 866 North Church street. Mrs. Hopper had been in failing health for several years, but her last illness was only of few days duration, death resulting from heart failure. She was 77 years old.

Mrs. Hopper's husband, the late John Hopper, preceded her in death more than thirty two years ago. Mr. Hopper was at one time mayor of Jacksonville and was in various ways prominently identified with the affairs of the city. Mrs. Hopper is survived by two daughters and one son, Mrs. Andrew Leach and Mrs. Charles Minter of this city, and John Hopper of East St. Louis. Another son, Lambert Hopper, died a few years ago.

Throughout her long life Mrs. Hopper has been a member of Grace M. E. church. She was a woman of forceful character and throughout advancing years maintained her strength of mind and body.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Minter on Church street. The burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

**COLORED CLUB**

**HAD MEETING.**  
Morgan County Colored Republican Club met August 6th and endorsed the following candidates:

For Sheriff—Henry G. Strawn.

For County Clerk—G. L. Riggs.

J. R. Dunn, Chairman.

W. H. Parish, Secretary.

**PRAYER MEETING TONIGHT**

There will be the usual prayer meeting service at State Street Presbyterian church this evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. F. M. Rule will lead. A full attendance is desired.

**PRAYER MEETING AT GRACE**

This evening at Grace church there will be a special prayer meeting program. Dr. Parker will lead and there will be music of an uplifting character. All are welcome.

Thomas Liming, Perry O. Liming and Miss Jennie Liming of Decatur are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaines in the Litterberry neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Ingram of Versailles who have been visiting at the homes of Andrew Ingram and Spencer Carpenter, returned to their home Monday.

Miss Margaret Miller has returned from Bedford, Pike county, where she has been a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. D. Brinker.

**LICENSED TO MARRY.**  
Harry E. Entler, Chicago, Julia Bach, Evansville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Franks and Mrs. Joseph Gomes were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Alex Miller in Franklin.

**J. W. Skinner**  
South Sandy Street  
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\$3.00**

**Tire Chains  
25% Off List**

**RESIGNATION OF JOHN K. TENER RECEIVED****DR. CLAMPIT BACK FROM VISIT TO CAMP SHELBY**

**SPENT FEW DAYS WITH SON WHO EXPECTS OVERSEAS ORDERS.**

Camp Grounds and Conditions Bring Only Approval — Men Well Cared for and Not Suffering From Hot Weather—Louis Clampit Just Made a Corporal.

In a letter addressed to all the club presidents in the National League, President Tener said:

"Having declined to serve further on the National Commission for the good reason familiar to each of you, I must ask that my resignation as your president tendered last December be now accepted."

"I am prompted to take this course out of consideration of the present situation and that you may more speedily select my successor who will, if your desire serve on the commission under the circumstances."

The resignation of President Tener will clear up the involved situation in the National commission and expedite the work of that organization in preparing for the proposed world's series scheduled to begin on Sept. 3 or 4.

Following the decision of the Philadelphia American League club to carry the case of Pitcher Scott Perry to the civil courts after the national commission had finally awarded his services to the Boston Nationals, Mr. Tener announced he would no longer serve as a member of that body.

The National league by-laws and constitution made no provisions for another person from the president of the league to serve on the national commission.

**Soldiers On Hike.**

"One has little conception of the extent of the camp until he has opportunity to walk about the grounds. While there I visited several departments and each one has its advantages or disadvantages in accordance with the opinion of the soldiers. The artillery department seems to be popular, if one might judge from the number of soldiers that I saw on a hike Sunday morning, armed with all equipment just as if they were about to enter a battle. It was a grand sight and these and all the other soldiers seemed to be well drilled."

"The infantry division is the largest and one of the most interesting. Thousands upon thousands of men are out on the drill grounds daily from 6:15 to 11 a.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. every day except Saturday and Sunday. This is the rule unless officers see fit to call the men out Saturday morning for inspection. All the soldiers have to be constantly neat in appearance and their equipment must be laid out in a certain way for inspectors to check up and see that the men have all the equipment issued to them and that everything is in good shape. After Saturday's inspection unless detailed for some duty, the boys are allowed to visit Hattiesburg or various places about the camp.

**Meals Are Substantial.**

"I had the pleasure of eating one meal in the mess hall and while there was nothing elaborate the menu was of substantial, wholesome food. Each company has its own mess hall, situated at the end of the company street. The one that I visited was that of Co. C, 139th machine gun battalion. There were 170 men who sat down to the meal. At the conclusion, following custom each man washed his own mess kit, and it was not long until the tables had been entirely cleared and everything was spick and span in readiness for the next meal.

"I visited the stables where horses and mules of each company are kept and found them in very orderly and sanitary condition. To a visitor it is really an amusing sight to see the boys doing their washing. Out one evening I happened to pass the place where the soldiers attend to this very important work. As the clothes must be kept clean all the time this part of the military work is quite necessary and the men soon grow proficient. Every soldier must keep his face clean shaven, hair cut to a certain length and his shoes polished.

**Camp Well Planned.**

"When it comes to amusements the boys are well cared for. Base ball is a regular form of sport and picture shows are available. The Y. M. C. A. huts are numerous and there Victrolas furnish music and there are various conveniences. The library at the camp is prominently located and there is ample opportunity for reading. Knights of Columbus also have generous arrangements for amusement, reading and writing. The visitor to the camp is very certain that the government has taken great pains to properly lay out the camp for convenience and at the same time full consideration of the welfare of the soldier has been taken. There are numerous dispensaries, the base hospital and the services of the Red Cross nurses, doctors and dentists seem to be entirely adequate. The hospitals are in a section to themselves where a strictly quiet zone is maintained.

**Saw Morgan County Men.**

"The boys have their daily drills in military courtesy and discipline and the companies vie with each other in the desire to have their men well posted, so here will be no penalty for disobedience or for breaches of military etiquette. While there I met several boys from Morgan county. Among them were Micky Morrissey, headquarters detachment, 139th Machine Gun battalion; Thomas Cooney and Clyde Hart, Co. C, 139 Machine Gun battalion; Clebb Crabbe, 138th Machine Gun battalion; Taylor Agnew and Joseph Boyland, radio corps; Fred Faugus, 152 Field Artillery band.

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**SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 6.—**A "bone dry" initiative measure which would prohibit the manufacture, importation or sale of intoxicating liquor in California after Dec. 3, 1918, except denatured alcohol was assured a place on the ballot for the general election Nov. 5, next, when sufficient additional petitions were received to day by Frank C. Jordan, secretary of state.

**OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 6.—**Early returns from over the state indicated United States Senator Robert L. Owen has been renominated by a large majority on a few counties giving Robert Galbreath of Tulsa, his only opponent on the Democratic ticket a vote.

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**CAPTAIN MCKAY DIES.**

Cleveland, Aug. 6.—Captain George P. McKay, treasurer of the Lake Carriers Association, pioneer of the Lake Superior trade, and one of the best known men on the Great Lakes, died here last night, after a long illness.

**Montgomery, Mo., Aug. 6.—**Speaker Champ Clark for the thirteenth time was renominated for congress in the Democratic primary in this district today without opposition.

and certain orders to be executed indicate to the boys that the day of their departure is not far distant."

**Hope for Overseas Orders.**

It was pleasing to Dr. Clampit that during his visit that the commission as corporal came to his son, Corp. Clampit is in the clerk's office and it is his duty to keep strict account of the uniforms and property that all the men have. Like his associates, Corp. Clampit is thoroughly interested in his army work and the life seems to agree with him in every way. Asked about the heat, Dr. Clampit said that while June was one of the hottest months known at Hattiesburg, that now the men have become accustomed to the southern climate and do not find it oppressive. At first it was a little hard on some of them but they very speedily got used to the southern conditions. As the hours of drilling indicate, the men are not on the field at the very hottest time of day.

**WILL HOLD RED CROSS PICNIC**

**Scott County People Plan Benefit for August 22nd—Party for Soldiers Soon to Leave—News Notes.**

Winchester, Aug. 6.—At a meeting held at the Red Cross rooms Tuesday evening it was decided to hold a Red Cross picnic and barbecue here Thursday August 22, at Monument park. Committee were appointed to begin arrangements for the event. The executive committee is composed of D. D. Watt, Mrs. Gertrude Demereth, Richard Lyons, Miss Alice Mudd, Claude Thomas, Earl Nelson, Miss Louise Frost and Fritz Haskett. The advertising committee is made up of William Wainright, Robert Sperry, T. D. Lyons and Guy Fau.

George Hodkinson, of Aurora, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Riggs and daughter and Miss Lucie Riggs were Jacksonville visitors yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Balsley entertained a number of friends Monday evening in honor of her daughter, Josephine's fifteenth birthday. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games and in a social way. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served.

D. D. Watt received a message Tuesday, telling of the death of William Tankersley, of White Hall. Deceased was a twin brother of the late Mrs. William Gibbs, mother of Mrs. Watt. Two sisters residing in this vicinity survive, Mrs. John Gibbs and Mrs. R. H. Coults.

Funeral services for Orval Lovell, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lovell, who died Friday, were held at the home of the parents near Murrayville, Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Interment was made at Winchester cemetery.

Lieutenant William O'Reilly was a professional visitor in Jacksonville Tuesday. He has received word to report for duty at St. Louis August 16th. Later he will be sent to Fort Reilly.

Misses Pearl and Allie Walker and Ruth Wright entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker, in honor of a number of Scott county boys, who are to leave in the next contingent from here. The house was quite artistically decorated in the national colors. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

George Iles, of Alsey, was transacting business in Winchester today.

**BULLETINS**

**WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—**Some fifty women attempting to stage a women's demonstration against delay in the senate in action on the woman suffrage amendment were arrested by the police late today at LaFayette Square, opposite the White House.

**NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—**Jacob Simon Herzog, broker indicated by a federal grand jury yesterday on the charge of using the mails to defraud, pleaded not guilty in the federal court here today and, pending the filing of a \$10,000 bond was paroled in the custody of his counsel.

**AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 6.—**Lieutenant Hugo Marconi of the Italian Royal Dragons, King Emmanuel's body guard and a cousin of Guglielmo Marconi, arrived here today on his way to Japan, where he will present a decoration of the highest order to the emperor. Lieutenant Marconi will pay his respects to President Wilson in Washington before proceeding to Tokyo.

**CHARLES TOMLINSON**

Charles Tomlinson and family of east of Jacksonville was the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Dudgeon Sunday.

Mrs. T. B. Dudgeon is improving from her recent illness.

Mrs. Charles Pond returned home to Murrayville Monday after visiting for two weeks with relatives here.

**EXPECTED RENEWAL OF BOMBARDMENT**

**Long Range Shelling of Paris Strengthens Resolution to See War Carried on Until German Militarism is Wiped Out.**

**PARIS, Aug. 6.—**Contemptuous smiles and jocular remarks greeted the first explosion of the German long range shell in the Paris region today, because a resumption of the bombardment at this time was exactly what the population expected the Germans to do.

A number of the boys have been killed but not as many as one would think from the number in the battle."

**MR. WILLIAM ALLEN**

Mr. William Allen was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Frank Todd of Jacksonville was a visitor here Monday.

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**DENTISTS URGE STANDARDIZATION**

**CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—**Standardization in educational requirements for students was recommended for adoption by all dental schools in order that army and navy requirements may be promptly supplied in resolutions adopted today by the National Association of Dental Examiners. The association also decided that local restrictions opposed to the degree of dental nurse will be removed and the field to be opened to women. The 47 dental schools of the country were divided into classes A, B and C, in which graduates from Class A and B are to be admitted for examination for licenses to practice dentistry.

**DR. W. F. WALZ, LEXINGTON, KY.** was elected president, and Dr. J. A. West of Des Moines, Iowa, secretary-treasurer. The next meeting will be in New Orleans.

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**INTERESTING ITEMS FROM MEREDOSIA**

**News Notes of Interest from Meredosia and Vicinity.**

**Meredosia, Aug. 5.—**John Hoffman who has been poorly for sometime has been growing worse the past week.

Wm. Moss, Sr., of New Salem visited his children in this place Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Carver and son Will left Saturday for their home in St. Louis. They have been attending to business affairs here for several weeks.

Miss Ada Moss has been quite ill at the home of her brother LaFayette the past week with malaria fever.

Mrs. Belle Savage is improving slowly from a recent attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. Mollie Wackerle and grandson Edward Wolters left Saturday for Quincy to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolters.

Miss Gladys Galaway who served as principal of the Versailles school last year has been re-elected for the same position next year.

**WILL RETURN TO CAMP.**

Ivan Ingram, who is a member of the Second Battalion, Sixth Recruiting Company, 37th Infantry, will return today to the army camp at Laredo, Texas.

**WANTED — MECHANICS C. N. PRIEST**

**The Ford Man**

Misses Sadie and Madeline Hall have returned to Jacksonville, after a visit with their sister in Havana.

**WILL RENEW**

## "With the Colors"

Letters of Interest from Jacksonville Boys in the Country's Service.

**Writes From Western Camp.**  
The letter given below was written to Miss Nelle Self of this city by her nephew, Frank McCall. The young man is with the medical department of the 13th infantry at Camp Fremont, Cal., and expects to leave soon for overseas service. The letter follows:

July 25th, 1918.

Dear Nelle:  
I am ashamed of myself for not answering your letter sooner, you can imagine what my correspondence amounts to and if I kept it all up I would never get out of camp at all.

We certainly have some camp here and I am very much in love with California. The sun shines every day, and I haven't seen a drop of rain in the three months I have been here. Our camp is situated in the Santa Clara valley just a few miles from the mouth of Frisco Bay and to the south and east of us are endless chains of mountains.

The people of California certainly treat the boys fine and three of us fellows have been "adopted" by a family over in San Jose. We go over to their house every Saturday noon and stay until Sunday night and they certainly do feed us and entertain us royally. This week we are going to drive over to the home of some relatives of theirs who own a fruit ranch near Gilroy, and they are going to give us a party and dance Saturday and a picnic Sunday. So you see that he is across the "pond" by this time.

I have not had a letter since I left the lakes, lost all my mail since then. This is certainly a fine country and I am enjoying the opportunity to see all the interesting sights. It doesn't get dark until about 11 o'clock and then it is light again by 2 a.m. The sun sets about 9:40 p.m. and rises at 5:30 a.m.

The navy gave a grand celebration of their own on the Fourth of July. They had an excellent program and it was attended by thousands of civilians. We are having the best of food over here and everything that a fellow could possibly need.

I will write once a week but the letters will be old by the time they reach you. This is all for this time.

Love to all,

Frank McCall,  
Med. Dept. 13th Infantry,  
Camp Fremont, Cal.

**Writes From Ireland.**  
Mrs. Lucinda Robson of Franklin has received the following letter from her son, Carl C. Robson, now stationed at the U.S. naval air station, Queenstown, Ireland:

July 11, 1918.

Dear Mother:  
I hope this letter finds all at home in good health as it leaves me. I suppose the weather is rather warm over there. It is cool here and rains seven or nine times a day lately. Has Kiedy left the United States? I suppose, tho' that he is across the "pond" by this time.

I have not had a letter since I left the lakes, lost all my mail since then. This is certainly a fine country and I am enjoying the opportunity to see all the interesting sights. It doesn't get dark until about 11 o'clock and then it is light again by 2 a.m. The sun sets about 9:40 p.m. and rises at 5:30 a.m.

The navy gave a grand celebration of their own on the Fourth of July. They had an excellent program and it was attended by thousands of civilians. We are having the best of food over here and everything that a fellow could possibly need.

I will write once a week but the letters will be old by the time they reach you. This is all for this time.

Lovingly,  
Carl.

**Letter from Harold Brennan.**  
July 5, 1918.  
Mr. Henry Muehlhausen,  
Jacksonville, Ill.

Dear Friend Henry:  
Your letter of May 12 was received with much joy. You can not know how much I appreciate it. Well, I am in good health at present and hope you are as fortunate. Today is the day after the Fourth and we sure had one great time here, with the co-operation of the French soldiers. The weather here is fine, sun shines almost every day.

I had an accident a few weeks ago in which I was severely crushed up and had one rib broken. We were moving an old ammunition house and it fell on me. I was sure lucky to escape more serious injury. I can hardly figure how it happened it did not kill me outright. I suppose the Lord did not see fit for me to be called. Well, such things make the world go around. You mentioned that I probably would come back with a French wife. Well, French people are very good people but I would not want to have one wished on me.

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than a Jacksonville cigar, but as this is war times I guess it would be better to say nothing more about cigars. My, but they make my mouth water!

I bet old Jacksonville will sure surprise me when I come back. Do you get that? When I do? Well, we all live in hope and hope the war will come to an end victorious to our arms.

Yes, Henry, I have seen two boys from there. Just three days after seeing them and talking over old times I was injured. They were Walter Ahlquist and Leo Suiter. They looked very well and were in good spirits. They were the first persons I have met that I knew. I see some very rare things here and if I come back I'll be able to entertain the tailors for sure. I have one great relic, a one dollar bill, mailed by my sister, Mary, February 2. It has traveled all over America and France. It had so many addresses on front that it looked like a Morgan county map and there wasn't room on the front side so they started on the back.

Well, I will close for the present time, hoping you will write soon.

Your friend,  
John H. Brennan.

1st Co., 2nd Motor Mechanics R-Giment, Aviation Section Signal Corps, U. S. P. O. 724, A. E. F.

**Letter from Camp Shelby.**

N. B. McDonald of R. R. 2 has received a letter from his nephew, James W. Evans:

Headquarters Co., 113 Engineers, Camp Shelby, Miss., July 21, '18.

Dear Uncle and Aunt:

I will now take a chance to write you a few words. I am well and hope you are the same. Received Lena's letter last week. She wanted me to be sure and write you a letter. I don't mean to slight any one but I don't have time to write to every one. I came off duty last night at 7:30 o'clock. That made fourteen days straight that I have been on duty.

Two weeks ago I was on the rifle range and last Sunday at 5 a.m. it came my turn to be in the bunch as kitchen police. I had to work every day. It takes five kitchen police each week and we have to work hard from 5 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. before we get the supper dishes and the cleaning up done. I suppose we will go to the rifle range next Friday and come back Sunday night, so you see I may be busy next Sunday. I am anxious to get back out and try the shooting again. I made pretty good. The first time I hit the bull's eye on the 200 yard range. I like to shoot my rifle. It takes lots of work to keep my gun clean so it will pass inspection. I have been busy washing today so I will have clean clothes to start on this week. Army life is quite different from civilian life, but as for the cause we are working to gain we are more than willing to do anything. We are working to win this war and that is our only aim. I have learned lots about army life and have got more to learn yet. I know more than I have time to write. I am living in hope that I will return and then I will have something to tell you about army life. I heard from home a few days ago and they seem to get along very well, but said they miss me very bad. I will try and make a good soldier and then they will be very proud of me when I return home, dear uncle and aunt. You said that I seemed like one of your family to you. I know you think lots of me and your home always seemed like a home of mine when I was in Illinois. I am doing my best in the army to stay in good company and let all bad habits alone. We have real warm weather down here. I am standing the world O.K. and also the weather. I ought to be well pleased. How is everyone at Jacksonville? How is Marion? Tell Lena I will send the picture in your letter and you and Aunt Amanda can see how I look in my uniform. Ask Marion if he thinks I look very much like a soldier. Ha. Well I will close. When it takes me such a long time to answer you may know I am busy. Goodbye. Give all the folks my regards and tell them I feel proud to be a soldier for Uncle Sam.

I am as ever, your nephew,

James W. Evans.

Headquarters Co., 113 Engineers, Camp Shelby, Miss.

**Receives Letter from 'Over There.'**

Miss Mabel Tholen of 1406 West Lafayette avenue is in receipt of the following letter from her uncle, John W. Bonds, a member of the 479th Aero Squadron, A. E. F., "Somewhere in France."

July 11, 1918.

Dear Niece:

I will now answer your welcome letter which I received today and which found me very well. It has been raining here today and is quite a dismal day but we really do not mind that. What do you do to pass the time away since school closed? I don't see any use in being without a car when you are able to afford one.

I suppose they are taking a great many boys from Morgan county now, as I just had a letter from Hazel saying that eighty were going from Scott County. Well, it isn't at all bad and I think Roy is right in not waiting to be drafted. You must not catch all of the fish as I may come back some day and want to try my luck. Hope you had a good time at Lake Matanzas, that is, if you went. It is

Must close as I want to attend the "movie" which is about to start in the next "Y" tent.

Will write more next time, and will expect a letter from you soon. With love to all.

As ever,

Private L. L. Waterfield,  
Co. A, 328 Battalion, Tank Corps,  
Camp Colt, Gettysburg, Pa.

Mrs. Alice Cheshireworth has received the following from her brother, Jack Valley who wrote her at her home near Arenzville, while he was on ship board.

Tuesday, June 26, 1918.

Dear Sis:

Well how are you? I am feeling fine and dandy and hope you are the same. We are still on the water and I guess we will be in France when you get this. I saw some large fish, bigger than those in Indian Creek and had a fine

nine months today since I enlisted and it doesn't seem possible it has been that long, time surely does fly when you are in the service.

Jacksonville surely has been having its share of fires. I suppose everything there is just about the same as it was of old. I suppose you had a big time the Fourth of July. We had a very nice time, all kinds of races and baseball and basketball games and a concert at night. How is Grandmother Thomas? Is George working at the Deaf and Dumb now? You must write often, for it is more pleasant than you realize, getting mail from home. And send me some papers as they are equal to a letter to our arms.

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Jack Vallery.

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**MANCHESTER GIRL WEDS AT CAMP SHELBY**

Miss Marie Boston Becomes Bride of Elmer C. Mehrhoff; Red Cross Made Shipments—Other Manchester News.

Manchester Aug. 6.—Word has been received here of the marriage of Elmer C. Mehrhoff and Miss Marie Boston, which occurred in Hattiesburg, Miss., Tuesday, July 30. The groom is the son of William Mehrhoff of this place and since May has been located at Camp Shelby, Miss., where he is training for military service. Mrs. Mehrhoff will remain in Hattiesburg while her husband is located at Camp Shelby. Both young people have a host of friends in the community who extend sincere congratulations.

The Red Cross recently made a shipment of the following supplies to Winchester: 100 triangular bandages; 225, 8 by 4, 10x12, 10x14, 10x16, 10x18, 10x20, 10x22, 10x24, 10x26, 10x28, 10x30, 10x32, 10x34, 10x36, 10x38, 10x40, 10x42, 10x44, 10x46, 10x48, 10x50, 10x52, 10x54, 10x56, 10x58, 10x60, 10x62, 10x64, 10x66, 10x68, 10x70, 10x72, 10x74, 10x76, 10x78, 10x80, 10x82, 10x84, 10x86, 10x88, 10x90, 10x92, 10x94, 10x96, 10x98, 10x100, 10x102, 10x104, 10x106, 10x108, 10x110, 10x112, 10x114, 10x116, 10x118, 10x120, 10x122, 10x124, 10x126, 10x128, 10x130, 10x132, 10x134, 10x136, 10x138, 10x140, 10x142, 10x144, 10x146, 10x148, 10x150, 10x152, 10x154, 10x156, 10x158, 10x160, 10x162, 10x164, 10x166, 10x168, 10x170, 10x172, 10x174, 10x176, 10x178, 10x180, 10x182, 10x184, 10x186, 10x188, 10x190, 10x192, 10x194, 10x196, 10x198, 10x200, 10x202, 10x204, 10x206, 10x208, 10x210, 10x212, 10x214, 10x216, 10x218, 10x220, 10x222, 10x224, 10x226, 10x228, 10x230, 10x232, 10x234, 10x236, 10x238, 10x240, 10x242, 10x244, 10x246, 10x248, 10x250, 10x252, 10x254, 10x256, 10x258, 10x260, 10x262, 10x264, 10x266, 10x268, 10x270, 10x272, 10x274, 10x276, 10x278, 10x280, 10x282, 10x284, 10x286, 10x288, 10x290, 10x292, 10x294, 10x296, 10x298, 10x300, 10x302, 10x304, 10x306, 10x308, 10x310, 10x312, 10x314, 10x316, 10x318, 10x320, 10x322, 10x324, 10x326, 10x328, 10x330, 10x332, 10x334, 10x336, 10x338, 10x340, 10x342, 10x344, 10x346, 10x348, 10x350, 10x352, 10x354, 10x356, 10x358, 10x360, 10x362, 10x364, 10x366, 10x368, 10x370, 10x372, 10x374, 10x376, 10x378, 10x380, 10x382, 10x384, 10x386, 10x388, 10x390, 10x392, 10x394, 10x396, 10x398, 10x400, 10x402, 10x404, 10x406, 10x408, 10x410, 10x412, 10x414, 10x416, 10x418, 10x420, 10x422, 10x424, 10x426, 10x428, 10x430, 10x432, 10x434, 10x436, 10x438, 10x440, 10x442, 10x444, 10x446, 10x448, 10x450, 10x452, 10x454, 10x456, 10x458, 10x460, 10x462, 10x464, 10x466, 10x468, 10x470, 10x472, 10x474, 10x476, 10x478, 10x480, 10x482, 10x484, 10x486, 10x488, 10x490, 10x492, 10x494,

## X WIN FIFTEEN INNING GAME, 5 TO 4

Ring Rally Ties Count for New York in Ninth — Eddie Collins Scores Winning Tally in 15th—Other American League Games.

Chicago and New York fought seven innings today and Chicago won, 5 to 4. A batting rally by New York in the ninth tied the game. Eddie Collins started the tenth with a single. Gandil and Mogridge threw to center in an attempt to force Collin's at second. Collins went to third and scored on a sacrifice fly. John Collins to deep center. His score:

New York AB. R. H. O. A. E.  
Hooley, rf. 6 1 2 1 0 0  
Hurd, cf. 2b. 4 0 0 1 3 0  
Mogridge, p. 2 0 0 6 2 1  
Kirk, 3b. 7 2 2 2 0 0  
Att., 2b. 2 2 0 0 1 0  
Kumar, cf. 5 0 1 6 0 1  
Hummel, lf. 2 2 1 2 1  
Pecking, ss. 6 1 1 6 5 1  
Sah, c. 5 0 1 6 2 0  
Linson, p. 2 0 0 0 2 0

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Walters, x . . . 1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sanders, p. . . 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Caldwell, lf. . . 3	0	2	1	0	0	0
Hyatt, xx . . . 1	6	0	0	0	0	0
Totals . . . . .	54	4	11	43	19	4
x—Batted for Robinson in 9th.						
xx—Batted for Ward in 9th.						
y—One out when winning run scored.						
Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.						
Good, cf. . . 7	2	2	5	0	0	0
Feltbold, lf. . . 5	0	3	6	0	0	0
E. Collins, 2b. . . 5	1	2	10	0	0	0
Gandil, 1b. . . 4	0	1	18	0	1	0
J. Collins, rf. . . 4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Rishberg, ss. . . 6	1	1	3	0	0	0
McMullen, 3b. . . 5	6	0	2	3	0	0
Shalk, c. . . 5	0	2	9	0	0	0
Russell, p. . . 3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cicotte, p. . . 1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Murphy, z. . . 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, p. . . 2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals . . . . .	47	5	12	45	17	1
Score by innings:						
xx—Batted for Kallio in 10th.						
Score by innings:						
Boston . . . . . 000 100 020 3—7						
Detroit . . . . . 200 000 200 1—5						

**Summary**  
Two base hits—Hannah, Caldwell. Three base hits—Hannah, Cicotte. Stolen bases—Fouriner, Hummel. Sacrifice hits—J. Collins, E. Collins (2); Leibold, Gandil. Sacrifice flies—Gandil, J. Collins. Double plays—Pratt to Peckingaugh to Fouriner; Risberg to Fouriner to Gandil; Fouriner (unassisted); E. Collins to Risberg to Gandil. Left on bases—Off Russell, 4 in 4; Off Robinson, 5 in 6; Off Sanders, 1 in 2; Off Mogridge, 5 in 6 1-2; Off Russell, 8 in 8 1-3; Off Cicotte, 0 in 2-3; Off Quinn, 3 in 6. Struck out—By Robinson, 1; Quinn, 5; Mogridge, 1. Losing pitcher—Mogridge. Winning pitcher—Quinn.

**Boston, 7; Detroit, 5.**  
Detroit, Aug. 6.—Two bases on balls, two errors by Kallio and a single gave Boston three runs in the tenth inning today and a 7 to 5 victory over Detroit. The visitors tied the score in the eighth on four hits, a hit batsman, a base on balls and a sacrifice hit. Score: Boston AB. R. H. O. A. E. Hooper, rf. 6 1 2 0 1 Windham, 2b. 6 1 3 4 3 0 Strunk, cf. 6 2 2 0 0 Ruth, lf. 4 1 2 2 0 0

**Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 4.**  
St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 6.—Philadelphia made use of seven of its eight hits off Sothoron and Houck in getting six runs today and beating St. Louis 6 to 4.

**American League**

New York at Chicago.

Washington at Cleveland.

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Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

St. Louis at Boston.

**Summary**

**Cleveland Scores Shutout**  
Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. . . . . Cleveland defeated Washington in the first game of the series 1 to 0 in ten innings. Wood led off in the final inning with a triple, Bescher patted for Johnston and walked. Mattheson then replaced Harper. Thomas batting for Turner, singled to right scoring Evans who ran

for Wood.

**Score by innings:**

Phila. . . . . 202 000 020—6

St. Louis . . . . . 000 000 112—4

Jameson and McAvoy; Sothoron, Houck and Nunemaker.

**CUBS TAKE FIRST FROM BROOKLYN**

**Mann Gets Home Run in Second With One on Base—Coombs Pitches Good Game—New York Defeats Cincinnati in Opening Game of Series—Other National League Games.**

**Brooklyn, Aug. 6.**—Chicago defeated Brooklyn here today 6 to 3, despite excellent work by Coombs, who pitched for the Cubans. Chicago gained two runs in the first inning when Mack Wheat, misjudging a fly gave Leslie Mann a home run with another runner on base. The Brooklyn batsmen knocked Tyler out of the box in the fourth.

**Score:**

Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Flack, rf. 5 0 2 2 0 0

Hollocher, ss 5 1 1 1 7 1

Mann, If. 5 2 2 2 0 0

Paskert, cf. 3 1 1 3 0 0

Merkle, 1b. 3 0 1 8 1 0

Pick, 3b. 3 1 2 0 0 0

Zeider, 2b. 3 0 0 4 3 0

Killifer, c. 4 0 0 6 0 0

Tyler, p. 2 1 1 0 0 0

Martin, p. 2 0 1 1 1 0

**Totals . . . . .**

35 6 11 27 12 1

**Score by innings:**

Chicago . . . . . 2 2 1 0 0 0 1 0—6

Brooklyn . . . . . 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—3

**Summary**

Two base hit—Flack, Paskert.

Stolen base—Johnston.

Sacrifice hits—Merkle, Zeier.

Double plays—Hollocher, Zeider and Merkle.

Olson, Doolan, Miller, O'Mara and Doolan; Johnston, Doolan.

Bases on balls—off Tyler, 2; off Martin, 1; off Coombs, 2.

Hits—off Tyler, 4 in 3 2-3 innnings; off Martin, 5 in 5 1-3.

Struckout—by Tyler, 3; by Coombs, 2.

Wild pitch—Martin, 1.

Winning pitcher—Tyler.

Losing pitcher—Coombs.

**New York Wins First.**

New York, Aug. 6.—New York

defeated Cincinnati in the first

game of the series here today by

a score of 4 to 3. The Giants

tied the score with three runs in

the fifth, two of them scored on a

wild throw by Cuelo and one in

the ninth on successive hits by

Fletcher, Doyle and Compton.

**Score:**

Cincinnati AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Groh, 3b. 3 2 1 0 2 0

Neale, If. 5 1 2 3 0 0

Roush, cf. 4 0 2 2 0 0

Chase, 1b. 3 0 1 6 1 0

S. Magee, 2b. 3 0 1 3 3 0

Griffith, rf. 4 0 1 2 0 0

Blackburn, ss 2 0 0 1 2 0

Cuelo, ss . . . 2 0 0 5 1 1

Wingo, c. 4 0 2 2 2 0

Ring, p. 4 0 0 0 1 0

**Totals . . . . .**

34 3 10 24 12 1

**Score by innings:**

Cincinnati . . . . . 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0—3

New York . . . . . 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 4—4

**Summary**

Two base hits—Sicking, Doyle.

Sacrifice hit—Roush.

Sacrifice fly—Chase.

Double play—Blackburn,

S. Magee.

Left on base—New York, 1.

Bases on balls—off Steel, 2; off

Ring, 1. Hit by pitcher—by Steele, (S. Magee).

Struckout—by Steele, (S. Magee).

By Ring, 1.

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INDIANAPOLIS  
LIVESTOCK MARKET

Indianapolis, Aug. 6—Hogs

5,000; steady, light, \$19.85 @

## SERGEANT BULLARD TALKS OF WAR WORK

Is Associated with Ordnance Department—Defends Men in Office Positions—Many Foreign Troops in New York—Soldiers Well Treated Everywhere.

Sergeant Edward Bullard who is connected with the ordnance department of the United States army is home on a few days furlough visiting with his mother, Mrs. Helen Ayers Bullard of No. 3 Duncan Place. He has been interested in the transportation side of the ordnance department for some time, making trips throughout the east and middle west in the taking care of the transportation of supplies and materials for the construction of one of the large smokeless powder plants, which the government is building in the east. Most of the material is being shipped from New York and Sergeant Bullard is working out from the New York office of the ordnance department.

### Large Powder Plant.

In speaking of the construction of the several large powder plants he states that since last March when the government drew plans for the construction of such plants, that it will only be a short time now until the United States will be in a position to furnish all the powder needed by the allies, not only for the U. S. alone but the entire fighting force of the allies.

One of the most striking things that is seen in the east is the extensive movement of troops. Train load after train load arrive in the east and fill up the concentration camps which have just been vacated by troops being loaded on transports for over sea duty. The soldiers only remain in concentration a few days until they are sent overseas.

Another interesting place Sergeant Bullard spoke of, is the large munition factory which the government is building for the construction of large guns. It is predicted that this plant will be able to furnish more guns than the Krupp works of Germany. Before war was declared the U. S. depended upon private concerns to build all the necessary guns and equipment, but in war time they were not able to furnish them in sufficient amount and consequently the government is constructing a plant for such work.

### Defends Non-Combatants.

In justice to the men of draft age who are holding desk positions in the eastern cities, and who are being criticised as slackers for not being in general service, Sergeant Bullard gives a very explicit explanation of the situation, saying that at the time war was declared the government could not muster enough competent men together at that time to carry on the necessary work, so it naturally used the enlisted men in these positions, only until competent men who were not enlisted could be secured to fill the places, and then the enlisted men would be taken into general military service.

He states that the men at the office positions are very anxious to get out of the offices and into the general service, but can not do so until enough civilians or limited service men can be secured to fill their places. This is being done as fast as possible. The office work of all of the departments requires wonderful organization and efficiency.

### Many Foreign Troops.

In his various trips thru the east Sergeant Bullard said it is remarkable to see the number of foreign troops, especially in New York City. While there last week he saw a regiment of Australian soldiers who had come across the Pacific, thru the Panama Canal and by way of New York on their way to the front.

The week before that he saw a regiment of the Canadian Royal Garrison Artillery preparing to sail for overseas. All along the coast from Wilmington, Del., to New York City the whole country seems like a large manufacturing district, every factory sending out war materials and each ship yard constructing numerous ships.

### Hard Senate Debates.

While he was in Washington on one of his trips he visited the senate and heard several of the debates, during the aeroplane investigation, and at a later visit heard the debates on the exten-

sion of the draft ages, profiteering, and a number of other interesting talks.

Sergeant Bullard has been fortunate in being where he was able to hear addresses by President Wilson, Secretary Baker, Secretary Daniels, Secretary McAdoo and General March. The theme of all was the necessity of pushing the work of the war as fast as possible so that the allies may be returned victorious as quickly as possible.

On his return to Washington next week Sergeant Bullard expects to be assigned to a machine gun school at Camp Hancock, which is conducted by the Ordnance Department for the training of officers.

### Soldiers Well Treated.

The treatment accorded the enlisted men in the east is very hospitable. In New York City many canteens are established where the enlisted men may go and get their meals at cost.

Here also tickets are given the boys for any of the theaters they may wish to attend, or perhaps it is a ball game they want to see, tickets for these also are provided. It may be an auto ride is the desire. Then the soldier usually goes to Central Park and it is only a short time until some citizen will stop and ask him to ride for awhile. Everything that can be done in the east to make the enlisted man happy is done.

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### S. J. TOMPKINS COMING HERE

Samuel J. Tompkins has been transferred from Pekin to Jacksonville and will still be in the U. S. revenue service but will have nothing more to do with distilleries as he had, only in the way of bookkeeping, in the capital of Tazewell county.

Morgan and Greene counties will be his territory and he will live in Jacksonville which will be welcome news to all who know him for he is the kind of man whom any city might be proud to call a resident. His wife is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen formerly residents of Lynnville precinct and a very estimable lady.

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### FISHED AT MEREDOSIA

Judge W. E. Thomson and son Kenneth, Fred Brockhouse and Stansfield Baldwin went to Meredosia on a fishing expedition Tuesday. The fish were not biting very good but despite this fact Stansfield Baldwin proved himself an expert fisherman.

However, the men at the government fish hatchery were making a haul to get fish for an exhibit at the Illinois state fair and they were able to get all the fish they wanted. The editor of the Meredosia Budget was skeptical of Judge Thomson's fishing ability and insisted on looking at the mouths of the fish to see if they had hook marks.

### VISITING RELATIVES

Mrs. H. M. Buland and daughter Betty of Parkersburg, W. Va., are in the city for a visit with Mrs. Buland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ingalls of West College avenue. Mr. Buland, who is director of athletics in the Parkersburg high school is engaged in directing playgrounds in that city this summer. It is probable that he will come to Jacksonville to accompany his wife and daughter home the latter part of the month.

### G. P. DAVIS IMPROVING

A letter received by E. L. Kinney from his brother-in-law, George P. Davis, who is at Asheville, North Carolina, indicates that Mr. Davis is feeling much improved in health since he left Jacksonville. He is in a hospital and under the care of a physician and absolute rest has been prescribed. Already improved conditions have been noted and Mr. Davis feels that in the course of a few months there will have been permanent improvement in his condition.

Ermin Keplinger and wife traveled from Waverly to the city yesterday.

### FREIGHT MOVEMENT STRONGLY URGED

Railroad Administration Urgent—Seeks Shipment of Winter Supplies Before Cold Days Come

The government's earnest desire to have the movement of freight speeded up before winter days is well emphasized in a circular letter just received by John J. Reeve as president of the chamber of commerce from Hale Holden, regional director of railroads. The letter reads as follows:

"In order to relieve transportation facilities of as much traffic as possible next winter, and to prevent a recurrence of the congested condition which existed last winter due to the great demand made upon the railroads, it is necessary to conduct an active campaign along the following lines:

"1. Induce industries located in your territory to store during the present summer months sufficient material to meet their needs for the coming winter.

"2. Urge wholesale concerns and distributors to persuade their customers to take immediate delivery of goods ordered or required.

"3. Encourage the use whenever possible, of additional storage space for factory products, nearest to the point of ultimate consumption.

"4. Impress upon all shippers and receivers of freight the difficulties of transportation that are likely to occur this coming winter, and the necessity of preparing for blizzards and zero weather by taking advantage now of summer operating conditions.

"5. The storage of fuel only is of special importance and all users should be urged to stock up for their own protection.

"6. For the present, at least, the question of early movement and storage of lumber should be held in abeyance since the needs of the Government departments are extremely heavy, and it has not yet been determined what amount of transportation can be taken up later and you will be advised as to the amount of commercial lumber that may be transported with a view to giving all lumber yards some stock for use during the winter.

"7. The storage of coal is being handled by the Fuel Administration, whose efforts should be supplemented by that of the officers assigned to this work.

This undertaking should be conducted in a thorou manner by a careful canvas of all industries, wholesale houses, jobbers, retailers and other receivers, and shipments of freight.

"Hale Holden,  
Regional Director."

### Wanted—Nightmen at the Douglas Cafe.

Men desiring comfort, style and service will be pleased with IDE COLLARS—recommended and sold by FRAN KBYRNS' Hat Store.

### CAREFUL ABOUT BONFIRES.

There is a great deal of trash about every house that is food for the flames and the temptation is to get it out of the way as soon as possible by setting it on fire. In the first place there is much danger this dry weather as grass will burn like tinder and disastrous fires might easily be started.

Then too, there is complaint of the smoke nuisance which is anything but agreeable this hot weather so that considering the two objections persons should be wary regarding bonfires.

### AN OLD TIME COIN.

Frank Bahan has a very valuable silver dollar which is indeed a curiosity. It is dated 1793 and is in an excellent condition evidently having been hidden most of its 119 years of existence. On one side is a bust of "Liberty" and the words, One Dollar, United States of America. On the other side is the eagle with thirteen stars and the coat of arms. The edge is milled and the coin is clear and bright.

### MEETING POSTPONED

The social meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Centenary church announced to be held at the home of Mrs. T. H. Rapp Thursday afternoon has been temporarily postponed because of the accident which happened to Mrs. Rapp.

### HOME FROM CHICAGO

Lee Wolke and R. L. Stice have

returned from Chicago where they

went to bring down two Oakland

cars for the J. F. Claus Motor Co.

They report crops suffering all the

way down and farmers much dis-

couraged. The roads out of Chi-

cago were anything but good be-

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### Wanted—Boys over 16 to pin chickens; good wages.

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### WISH SHE COULD DIVIDE

Miss Frances English, writing her parents from Waukazoo Inn on the shores of Black Lake, an estuary of Lake Michigan, said that last Saturday it was so cool there that warm clothing had to be worn if they would be comfortable and a bit of fire on the hearth was acceptable.

### CHAUTAUQUA TICKETS

now on sale at Journal of

office. Get them at the guar-

antor's price.

### CHICKEN SHED ON FIRE

The fire department was called to the residence of A. R. Myrick, 817 East College Avenue Tuesday evening at 6:05 o'clock. Fire had in some manner started in a small chicken shed. Neighbors extinguished the blaze before the arrival of the department with but little damage.

### POST TOASTIES

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### GORGAS CALLS FOR WOMEN FOR NURSES

Issues Statement Regarding Needs of Country at Present Time—Work to Be Carried On Under Direction of Woman's Committee National Council of Defense.

The statement from General G. C. Gorgas regarding the need of young women to train for nurses is given hereunder. The work will be carried out under the direction of the Woman's division of the National Council of Defense and the local recruiting office is now open for enrollment in the Public Library.

"I want every young woman in the country, every woman between 19 and 35, to read carefully what I have to say, and to give it earnest attention. It is a message which every girl ought to welcome because it tells of an opportunity to help the nation.

"The army and the country face a shortage of nurses.

"The army alone will require something like twenty-five thousand nurses by the first of next January. We have secured about thirteen thousand of this number, we need twelve thousand more. We have got to have them or the army will run short—and this would be an outcome inevitable and intolerable to the American people.

"Only graduate nurses who have been thru the full course of training are available for this high service. These nurses have to be taken out of the hospitals and from care of the sick at home. This means that when we recruit our full quota for the army their places in the civilian communities must be filled.

"This call for student nurses—to fill the vacancies, prepare for professional service, and meanwhile to make it possible for our hospitals, both civil and military, to carry on, and for the American people to hold the health standards of the country as high as they have ever been in times of peace.

"If I were a young woman and wanted to do my country the greatest service in my power, I should go at once to the nearest recruiting station of the Woman's committee of the Council of National Defense and enroll in the United States Student Nurse reserve. This enrollment will at once make me a candidate for the Army Nursing School or for one of the civilian training schools for nurses. I cannot conceive of a more valuable service, a more womanly service. I can give every girl who enrolls in the reserve my personal assurance that she is making herself count, and I should be ashamed of any woman who did not long with all her heart and soul to make her self count in the defeat of Germany.

(Signed. G. C. Gorgas.)

### NOTICE

Mr. Johnston is in Virginia on business this morning, and The Johnston Agency will not be open until 1 p. m.

### FOUR SERVICE STARS DUE CHAUTAUQUA MANAGEMENT

At a meeting of the directors of the chautauqua association L. T. Potter was elected director and treasurer to succeed Carl H. Weber now in the service.

Frank Merrill, assistant to the secretary in 1915; W. H. Kitner, assistant in 1916 and Andrian Fox assistant in 1917 are all over in France in the U. S. army while Carl H. Weber has enlisted and is ready to go when called on, so the management is entitled to four service stars.

### Thomas Jewsbury of Chapin was a city caller yesterday.

A. J. Fraser of El Paso, Texas, spent yesterday in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott. Mr. Fraser is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Scott. Mr. Fraser, who is well known business man in El Paso, is on his way home after a business visit in Chicago and Detroit.

### PRAYER MEETING SERVICE

The regular prayer meeting of the Centenary church will be held this evening in the church parlor at 8 o'clock. The subject will be, "What Would Happen If Every One Should Forget to Pray for a Year." This will be the last prayer meeting before the pastor takes his vacation, and he is desirous of a large attendance.

### GREAT THRESHING RECORD.

Henry Ruble in a report just made to C. T. Mackness lists of the splendid run of threshing which he recently had for George Wackerle, Sr. and Jr., on their farm in the Alexander neighborhood. In a 10 hour run Mr. Ruble threshed out 3,699 bushels of oats. He has an excellent outfit and the oats were very heavy. A run practically without interruption made this record possible.

### GOING TO TOLEDO

John Berger, Verne Rexroat and G. W. Arundel expected to leave this morning for Toledo to bring home some Overland cars for the Overland Berger-Pine company, it being better to drive than to ship.

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